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Docket No. 15436.98.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO *FINAL OFFICE ACTION* UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the final Office Action mailed May 29, 2008 (the “Final Office Action”). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks:

***Claim amendments*** begin on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.